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ture and sell raw Opium, Chanda and Opium
Dross in British North Borneo and Labuan.

(2) SPIRITS. The sole right to license man-
ufacture and sale of such Wines and
Spirits as are usually consumed by Chinese
and other Asiatics, and the right to issue
licenses to sell Wines, Beer and Spirits under
Notification dated 1st February, 1899.

(3) PAWN-BROKING. The sole right to keep
and license others to keep Pawns-broking
Establishments.

(4) GAMBLING. The sole right to keep and
to license the keeping of Gambling Houses.

(5) These tenders must be sent under sealed
cover to reach Sandakan by noon on the 31st
day of October, 1901, and must be addressed to
the Secretary to the Governor. The words
"Borneo Farms" must be written on the
outside of the envelope.

(6) The Laws and Regulations governing
these Farms can be seen on application at the
Office of Messrs. Guthrie and Co., Singapore,
of Messrs. Gibb, Livingston and Co., Hong-
kong, of the Malay Mail at Kuala Lumpur
and of the Treasurer-General at Sandakan.

(7) The Opium Regulations are similar to
those in the Straits Settlements.

(8) The Gambling Regulations are similar
to those in the Malay States.

(9) These Tenders are invited for the whole
Territory, but any tenderer may submit a
separate tender for any of these Farms or
for any portion of the State of British North
Borneo.

(10) Every tender must state the nature of
the Security to be offered, which must be
parily in cash, to be deposited in an approved
Bank, and partly in land and house property.

(11) The Government does not bind itself to
accept the highest or any tender.

(12) The Colony of Labuan will be included in
the British North Borneo Farms for Opium,
Spirits and Pawns-broking.

Sandakan, 8th July, 1901. [239]

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Hongkong, 14th September, 1899. [150]

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Hongkong, 12th June, 1901. [1480]

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Hongkong, 21st June, 1901. [1554]

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Hongkong, 4th January, 1901. [1]

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Cuisine Excellent. Prompt Attendance.

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Hongkong, 12th February, 1901. [6-1642]

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Dining Accommodation for 250 persons.

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MANAGER.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1900. [63]

THE Waverley Hotel.

ICE HOUSE STREET, HONGKONG.

FIRST-CLASS PRIVATE HOTEL.

Handsome Furnished and Exceedingly
Spacious Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
LONG RANGE CUP AND SPOONS.

THERE will be a COMPETITION as a one TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th August, commencing at 2.45 P.M. Ranges 700 and 800 Yards. Ten Shots and a Sighting at each Range. ALEX. MACKENZIE, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [93]
GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO. LTD. (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a First and Final Dividend of 24 Cents per Share will be paid to Shareholders on request to send in their Preference Shares at their earliest convenience to the Undersigned, whereupon Payment of the above Dividend will be made.

M. BENNECKE, Liquidator.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [2163]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, on

MONDAY, the 26th August, 1901, at 11 o'clock A.M., at the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN CO.'S GODOWN, KOWLOON.

7 CRANK SHAFTS.
1 CASE BRASS COCKS.
1 CASE CONDENSER FLANGED STUBS.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery.
V. I. REMEDIOS, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [2161]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY, the 29th August, 1901, at 2.45 P.M., at No. 5, KNUXTON TERRACE, KOWLOON (the Residence of R. C. DIXON, Esq.).

THE WAREHOUSE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, including—

CANTON BLACKWOODWARE AND JAPANESE CLOISONNE VASES. (Full Particulars in Catalogue).

On view from Wednesday, the 28th August. TERMS—Cash on delivery.

GEO. F. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1901. [2162]

FOR NAGASAKI AND VLADIVOSTOCK.

THE Steamship "DAPHNE," Captain Schipper, will be despatched for the above ports on TUESDAY, the 3rd September, at Noon.

For Freight, apply to SIEMSEN & CO., Agents.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [2160]

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR ANPING (VIA SWATOW AND AMOY).

THE Company's Steamship "MAIDZURU MARU," Captain K. Suda, will be despatched for the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 4th September.

For Freight or Passage, apply to THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, Agents.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [18]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "FORMOSA," FROM ANTWERP LONDON, FORT SAID, SUZ AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 P.M. TO-DAY, 23rd inst.

Goods not cleared by the 29th inst., at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognised.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1901. [1]

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be ready on Monday, and will contain—

Leading Articles—Hongkong Naval and Military Works. Great Britain and German Trade. The New Territory Report. Shanghai and the Tramway Scheme. The United States and the World's Commerce.

Sir John Carrington's Resignation. The Crisis. Telegrams. Sanitary Board. Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce. The Late Empress Frederick. Jerry-Buildings in Hongkong. New Territory in 1900. Tientsin. Foochow. Northern Notes. Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation. Great Eastern & Caledonian Gold Mining Company (Liquidation). Hongkong Hotel Company. Universal Trading Company. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company. Supreme Court. Correspondence. Reviews. Hongkong and Port News.

Subscription, \$12 per Annum, payable in advance; postage, 32.

Extra copies 30 cents each (cash). Copies can be ordered from the Office to which they are sent, including postage, 34 cents each, or \$1 for three copies (cash).

Hongkong, 24th August, 1901.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.
AQUATIC SPORTS.

THURSDAY, September, 5th, at 5 P.M. 4 Lengths (133 1/3 Yards Race (scratch). Open to Army, Navy and Police. Two Prizes. No Entrance Fee. Also 1 MILE CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLONY. Open to all comers. Two Prizes. Entrance Fee \$1.

FRIDAY, September, 6th, at 4.30 P.M. 200 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLONY. 6 lengths. Open to all comers. Two prizes. Entrance Fee \$1. Entries for above close on 29th inst.

E. A. SARGENT, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 24th August, 1901. [2 64]

NOTICES OF FIRMS

NOTICE.

THE Business of MESSRS. TURNER & CO. in Hongkong has been transferred to the Undersigned, who will continue to carry it on under the same Name, Style and Title of TURNER & CO.

R. CHATTERTON WILCOX.
REFERRING to the above, Mr. HAROLD CHATTERTON WILCOX has been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date.

TURNER & CO.
Hongkong, 25th July, 1901. [187]

NOTICE.

WE have This Day Authorized Mr. HUNG MAK HOI 洪墨海翁 and Mr. CHOI PO SIEN 蔡寶善翁 to SIGN our NAME FOR PROSECUTION.

A CHEE & CO.
Hongkong, 10th August, 1901. [2083]

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, who have dealt for many years in all kinds of First-class Cane at moderate rates, which they export to different countries, beg to state that two of their junks named WING-LOONG and AH-YUEN, who were despatched last year to go round for orders to the different Foreign Firms, have now left their service; and that all orders accepted by them have all been executed and delivered.

In future, however, other junks will be sent round for orders.

All orders will be thankfully accepted and promptly executed by.

WING YUEN, Cane Dealer, Hoam, Canton.
Hongkong, 22nd August, 1901. [2137]

NEGRI SEMBILAN GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

APPLICATIONS will be received for the post of qualified Assistant Surgeons in the Negri Sembilan Government Service. Federated Malay States. Salary \$1,050 per annum, with annual increments as specified hereunder and free furnished quarters.

The Assistant Surgeon appointed must sign an agreement for 5 years, of expiry of which, should his service be satisfactory, he will be put on the Fixed (Pensionable) Establishment. Candidates must hold a diploma from a recognised Medical College.

Applications with copies of recent testimonials will be received by the State Surgeon, Negri Sembilan, Malay Peninsula.

SCALE OF SALARY.

1st year \$1,090
2nd " 1,125
3rd " 1,160
4th " 1,195
5th " 1,230
6th " 1,265
7th " 1,300
8th " 1,335
9th " 1,370
10th " 1,405
11th " 1,440
12th " 1,475
13th " 1,510
14th " 1,545

Final " 2,520
W. LEONARD BRADDOCK, F.R.C.S., State Surgeon, Seremban.
Seremban, 10th August, 1901. [2125]

LOVE.

COURTSHIP. MARRIAGE.

By the famous author of "How to be Happy Though Married," the

REV. E. J. HARDY, MILITARY CHAPLAIN AT HONGKONG.

The following Series of Articles on the above are appearing weekly in the Hongkong Daily Press—

COURTSHIP AND FLIRTING
"Flirting means flirtation without intention. Flirting and flirting differ from one another as a good thing differs from a bad one. Flirtation is a spoon with nothing in it."

CHOICE IN MARRIAGE
"A young man once said to his fiancée: 'The fortunate girl who gets me must have three qualifications—she must be handsome, rich, and a fool.' 'Why all that?' asked the friend. 'Well, she must be handsome and rich, or else I won't have her; she must be a fool, or else she won't have me.'"

PROPOSING
"Many men find it the hardest thing in the world to propose. 'A swain went one evening to the cottage of his beloved. She was seated by the fire, knitting, a cat at her feet. After a long silence he took the cat on his knees, and whispered out: 'Pussy, ask Lizzie if she'll marry me.' Lizzie blushed, hesitated, then said: 'Pussy, you can tell Lizzie I'll take her.'"

ENGAGED
"Proposing to a girl, which was the subject of our last paper, is easy, indeed quite easy, compared to proposing to her father for her. For fathers and their daughters grant resources and are not, in this case, anxious to 'husband their resources.'"

THE WEDDING AND THE HONEYMOON.
"A parish clerk said to the clergyman who was adding a homily to the marriage service: 'Please to cut it short, sir; they've got the cab by the hour.'"

MARRIED A YEAR.
"The advice 'drive gently over the stones,' which is frequently given to inexperienced whips, may be respectfully suggested to the newly married. The first evil omen which should be marked 'dangerous' is the first year of marriage."

LOVING THOUGH MARRIED.
"Skeptics say that 'men are April when they woo, and December when they wed,' but not a few women can say of their husbands what Garrick's wife said of hers: 'He never was a husband to me; he was always a lover.'"

Hongkong, 17th August, 1901. [2006]

AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Base Commissariat Officer, to Sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th inst., at 11 A.M. at the Base Commissariat Depot, NEW PARADE GROUND, A QUANTITY OF DAMAGED & CONDEMNED STORES, comprising—

30 Bags BRAN, 100 Bags GRAIN (Crushed), 10 Tons OATEN HAY (Loose), 10 Tons FIREWOOD, 20 TARPAILINES, CAMP CHAIRS and TABLES, &c., &c.

TERMS—As usual.
HUGHES & HOUGH, Government Auctioneers.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1901. [2151]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th August, at 11 A.M., on the NEW PARADE GROUND.

144 Barrels McEWEEN'S EDINBURGH ALE (35 Gallons each).

TERMS—As usual.
HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.
Hongkong, 22nd August, 1901. [2139]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th instant, at Noon, at The MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA'S GODOWNS, 77, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.

(In Good Order and Condition), 1 VERTICAL BOILER, 1 No. 6 PULSOMETER STEAM PUMP, 3 DUPLEX PUMPS FOR BOILER, 1 No. 4 PULSOMETER STEAM PUMP, 1 Length of SECTION ROSE, 3 STOP VALVES FOR PULSOMETER PUMP, 2 CHECK VALVES FOR BOILER, 4 Lengths 4 in. IRON PIPES, 2 STOP VALVES FOR DUPLEX PUMPS, and 4 Lengths 3/4 in. IRON PIPES.

TERMS—As usual.
HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1901. [2132]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th August, 1901, at 2.30 P.M., at his SALES ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD, GENTLEMEN'S SUIT LENGTHS, WHITE and COLOURED SHIRTS, CELLULAR SHIRTS and UNDER-SHIRTS, BELT-HATS, GENTLEMEN'S and LADIES' BOOTS & SHOES, LADIES' DRESS MATERIALS of different kinds.

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TERMS OF SALE—As Customary.
V. I. REMEDIOS, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 22nd August, 1901. [2140]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from G. J. W. KING, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 24th August, at 2.30 P.M., within his residence, No. 3, CASTLE ROAD, A QUANTITY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE (Full Particulars in Catalogue).

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Hongkong, 22nd August, 1901. [2133]

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

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Hongkong, 20th August, 1901. [2113]

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Hongkong, 22nd August, 1901. [2135]

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THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-year ending 30th June last at the rate of ONE POUND AND TEN SHILLINGS STERLING per Share of \$125, is Payable on and after MONDAY, the 19th day of August, current, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 17th August, 1901. [2101]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE DIVIDEND of 10 per cent. per Share and Bonus of 8 per cent. per Share for the six months ending 30th June, 1901, declared at Monday's Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting, will be payable at the premises of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on and after THIS DAY (TUESDAY), the 20th August; and Shareholders are requested to apply for Dividend Warrants at the Company's Office, Queen's Buildings, New Praya. By Order of the Board of Directors.

THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th August, 1901. [2112]

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
In accordance with the Provisions of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, the General DIVIDEND of 5 per cent. for the Half-year ending 30th June, 1901, on the Paid-up Capital, DIVIDEND WARRANTS payable on SATURDAY, the 24th August, will be issued to Shareholders on Application.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents.
Hongkong, 13th August, 1901. [2054]

THE HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING, WEAVING AND DYING COMPANY, LIMITED.

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APPLICATIONS for 58,000 New Shares will be received by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on or before 3 P.M., on the 27th of AUGUST, 1901, upon Forms which may be obtained either at the said Bank or from the undersigned.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.
Hongkong, 15th August, 1901. [2071]

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
AN INTERIM DIVIDEND at the Rate of 5% (Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per Share), for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1901, will be PAID to those Persons who are Registered as Shareholders in the above Company on the 30th August, 1901. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 30th instant, both days inclusive.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Secretary.
Hongkong, 15th August, 1901. [2085]

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business contributed during the Half-year ended 30th June, 1901, on or before the 10th September, on which date the Accounts will be Closed.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary.
Hongkong, 23rd August, 1901. [2150]

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 17th August, 1901. [24]

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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1901. [387]

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Then I lifted the tapestry as I had seen him of Valois do, and came upon a little dark passage. My lord followed me, and was plunged in through the dark to where we would see on the floor a line of light as from below a door. I was there first, and struck upon the door, but my lord overtook me, flung it back and entered.

The little room was gaily lit. In the centre stood a table, spread as I saw, with a dainty supper for two. And there, at opposite sides of it, stood the King with his mask in his hand, and my lady also holding hers, with her other hand to her heart, as though she were about to faint.

"Maudlin!" cried my lord in a terrible voice. She drew back a few paces, staring, and white to the lips.

"My Lord Castletowers," said the King, and I thought for once he did not mock. "You have a most loyal and chaste lady."

"Loyal!" cried Lord Castletowers bitterly. "To whom, may it please your Majesty?"

"Why, to her liege husband, man!" said the King.

"It is something, indeed, your Majesty. 'Tis a fitting place and seems in which to find an honest lady."

"She is honest, nevertheless," said the King, stammering.

At this my Lord Castletowers suddenly unbuckled his sword and flung it among the dainty dishes and the silver, where it fell clattering.

"My father served your Majesty's father," he said, "as I have served your Majesty. Now, I am done with it."

"Castletowers," cried the King. "It was but a jest; the lady meant no harm, nor did I. You will not leave us?"

"What a jest to your Majesty may well mean death to any honourable man," said my lord, drawing his wife's arm within his own. "Come, Harry Barron, find us our coach."

I gave a glance at his Majesty as we went. He had cast off his surcoat and stood wearing the broad ribbon and star of the Garter. He looked troubled, he who had made a jest of crowns and kingdoms, but 'twas known he loved the Earl of Castletowers.

We went out through the great Hall, where the dancing continued merrily. No one noticed us. My lady had resumed her mask, but not the white of her cheek. I wondered what power held her from a swoon. Certainly it was no milkmaid's heart, but a royal one that carried her so proudly through the crowd of maskers, so that none guessed we were aught but of the gay company.

I did not dare speak to my lord. I was but a boy, though he had honored me by his notice. What was I to assure him of his lady's honour? Let her clear herself as well I knew she could do. After I had seen them depart in their coach I said to myself that the evil might result in good, if it withdrew my lady from a Court which was no place for her.

The next day about noon a message was brought to me that my Lord Castletowers desired to see me at his lodgings, and proceeding thither, I found my lord pacing up and down distractedly.

"My lady has left me, Harry Barron," he cried.

Then he imparted to me that the preceding night, being filled with anger, he had so bitterly reproached her, and would listen to none of her defenses, so that at length she fell into a swoon, in which condition he had left her to her woman.

But when he rose in the morning he had found his lady gone, and Phoebe, who was a woman of her own country, now, he said, "that she did several times cry out pitiously that she ought not to have married me to my kindrance. And now that my jealous madness has died down, I do truly believe her innocent."

"Why," said I, "did she not show you your own letter?"

"What letter?" cried he, "I write none."

"She carried it in her bosom," I said, "and it did appoint a meeting with you at the Masque."

Then he tore his hair and cried out upon himself. And presently, at my instigation, he went to my lady's chamber, and searching in her ball-gown found the letter as she had said.

But there were no tidings of the countess, nor were to be for many a heavy month. That day the King commanded the Earl to his presence, and when my lord was come, as I knew after, he laid bare to him that however the fault was in him, the lady was innocent.

She did indeed cry out upon you, Jack, and did so in order to me with reproaches that mine ears sting still as though her pretty hands had boxed them. It was Castletowers she looked to see, not Charles Stuart. There was knavery at work here, for look you what message was conveyed to me, purporting to come from her."

Then he tossed my lord the note saying she would be at the ball, and my lord produced the false note written from him to her. And the King, who for all his jesting, had a lively sense of his majestic state aware that whoever had mocked him should not go unpunished.

"Nay," said my Lord Castletower, "for I shall kill him."

"And see into France, Jack," said the King. "Nay, that must not be so, for we cannot afford to lose so true a friend, and full of wisdom where no wisdom is."

But what we could not come at though the trick lay bare, was whether those knaves had known that my Lord Castletowers would return, whether they had designed so to part a pair of true lovers, or whether it had been a chance matter, and they had believed, as such rogues matter, that Lady Castletowers would be quick to embrace the part they had thrust upon her.

"I am sick of courts, Harry," said my lord. "And would to God that while yet my gentle Maudlin were mine I had chosen the country life, with her far away from the machinations and villainy I see about me here."

And again he cried out on his folly that he had brought his one white lamb to this smirched place, where scarce any could pass free of the prevalent taint.

I do not think my lord had forgiven his Majesty, though since he never was one for protesting his silence might pass. And often said he that if the Countess's fate were but known to him, he would say good-bye to towns for evermore. But despite all love and money could do there were no tidings to be had of her maid Phoebe. They had not returned to her native place, that was certain; "and," said my lord, "where else could they have sunk so completely as a stone cast in the sea, but in this spider's web of streets and houses?" Even then the town had travelled as far as Holborn Bars, and it seemed likely that sheep would not graze much longer in St. Martin-in-the-Fields.

There were times when my lord had bitter despondencies in those days of my lady's loss, crying out that Maudlin was dead or she would have returned back, he would remember how simple she was, and how likely it was she should believe his wrath yet endured, and in her

humility hold it the best kindness she could do him to come again, when a knocking came to the door, and who should be ushered in but Lady Castletowers' woman, Phoebe, though indeed the poor wretch was so distraught that one had hardly known her for the clean and pretty maid of happier days.

My lord at seeing her leaped to his feet, and held her tight as though she would have escaped him, and "Where is my lady?" he cried out in a shaking voice, so that I assumed only then to have known how he had suffered.

"Oh, lord!" cried the girl, "you are to come at once, my lord. My lady lies in Stagnay Green, and all around the plague-fire are burning, and the dead-carts are calling. Myself have escaped the watch by a miracle. My lady bids me say that you are to save your hair while she is still unattended. She thinks only on the child, dear heart, and expects nothing but the plague for herself, Lord ha' mercy!"

"My hair, wench!" cried my lord. "Are you mad? There is no hair to my name."

"There is as fine a boy as ever I saw born Wednesday so tonight. But now my lady begins to creep back to life, and she cries that the child must be saved."

"Come with me, Harry," cried my lord, "we shall save them both."

We rode in a coach no further than Aldgate, and praised Heaven for the summer night's blackness that hid us from the watch. The rattle of the coach passed no doubt for the dead carts, that were the only life in that desolate city; and we passed the easier because in his houses would come entering this city of the plague however folk might flee from it.

At Aldgate we drove the coach to the yard of the Mitre Inn, which its owners had deserted, and bidding the stout kuave who drove us, and whom we had well plied with brandy, not to fall asleep at his post, we left him.

None questioned us as we went through the gray streets. One or two whom we met stalked away as though we carried the plague in our pockets, and so we came to Stagnay Green.

Along the Green the fires were burning before half-a-dozen houses that had the plague, and very strange seemed their look and fume in the gentle morning that was breaking. The houses were for the most part close-shuttered. From one a white face looked out to see us pass. A bird twittered in the eaves. A witch-cat stole by us, keeping close to the railings, as though we made her afraid.

Before a little house, green-shuttered, its garden adorned with shells, and a mast of a ship yet standing to show that here some son of Neptune had designed to pass his latter days, Phoebe paused, and turned in at the little gate. Here we were in a trace of quietness, and the dawn, though some houses away on either hand the fires of hell splattered and flamed.

She went up the stairs in the grey house, and my lord upon her heels. Into a little room, curtained with chints, and recalling the country, we followed her. A tapestried room in the room. By its light we saw the Countess of Castletowers with her young son on her breast.

"—as I twined my foot had the pair in his arms."

"Oh, Maudlin!" he cried in a piercing voice, "so I have found you!"

"Take the child," she murmured, struggling in his arms, "and go quickly. Now, since my lord forgives, I can die in peace."

"Why did you not tell me?" he reproached her.

"Because I thought I was like to die," she answered. "Phoebe knew that she was to bring you the child, when I was dead."

"Oh, Maudlin! You break my heart," he cried.

"Why, you are weeping," she said in wonder. "Did you love Maudlin after all, my lord?"

But then I broke in reminding him that it was growing light, and that if we were carrying the Countess it might not be easy to satisfy the watch that she was not sick with the plague.

"Yes, go," she cried, "go at once, dear heart. Already you have been here too long. If I have not the plague already it is likely that it should pass me by. Go, lest I infect you."

For answer, my lord, kissed her, and giving the babe to Phoebe to carry, took my lady on her bed, I assisting him, and bore her out of the house. And though we hardly hoped to escape the watch, and were ready with our swords if my lord's purse should fail, we did, by God's mercy, see nothing of them, although the road of the Whitechapel was flooded with golden day when we again reached it.

And so we came to our coach, and gained my lord's lodgings in safety.

But the very next morning we rode out of London at daybreak, and travelling by easy stages reached after many days, Castle Towers, my lord's great house in Devon.

Nor have any of us ever returned to the Court.

[THE END.]

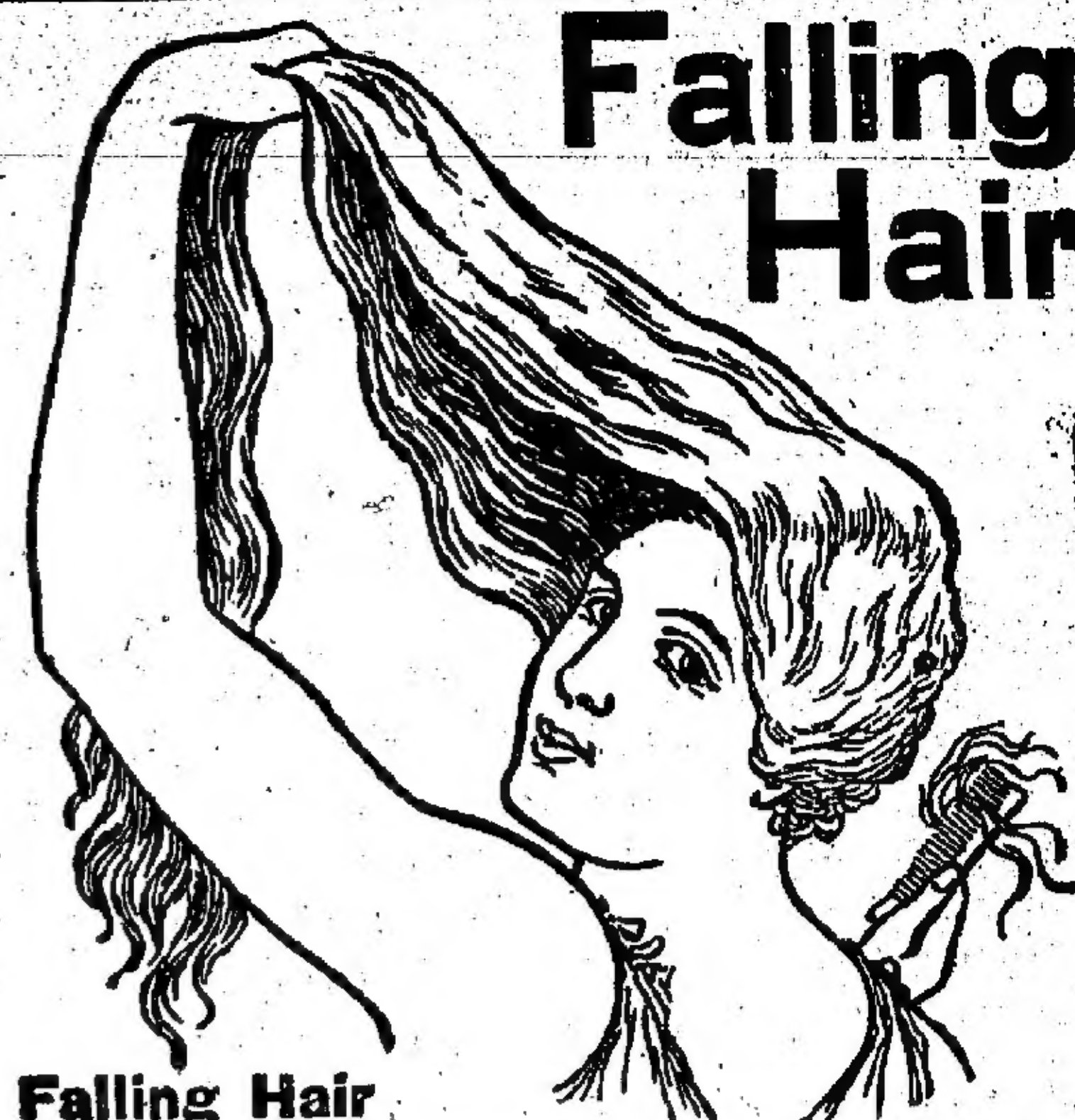
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LONDON, &c. VIA PORTS OF CALL.	MASHILA	Brit. str.	2 m.	G.M. Montford, R.N.R.	P. & O. S. N. Co.	On 31st inst. at Noon.
LONDON	STENTOR	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 3rd September.
LONDON	IDOMENEUS	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 17th September.
LONDON	ORIENT	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 1st October.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	PRINCESS IRENE	Brit. str.	2 m.	P. Wetlin	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	About 15th September.
BREMEN, VIA PORTS OF CALL.	BANGA	Fre. str.	2 m.	E. P. Martin, R.N.R.	MEYER & CO.	On 5th Sept. at Noon.
MARSEILLES, &c. VIA PORTS OF CALL.	OCEANIC	Fre. str.	2 m.	Schmidt	MESSAGERIES MARITIMES	On 26th inst. at 1 p.m.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP, V. S. POKE, &c.	BINGO MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	F. Davies	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 6th Sept. at Daylight.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP, V. S. POKE, &c.	TAMBA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	J. W. Wale	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 20th Sept. at Daylight.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP, V. S. POKE, &c.	ALEXANDRIA	Ger. str.	2 m.	Roridon	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 24th inst.
HAYRE, BREMEN & HAMBURG	SIBIRIA	Ger. str.	2 m.	Porzellus	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 5th September.
HAYRE & HAMBURG	ANDALUSIA	Ger. str.	2 m.	Ehlers	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 21st September.
HAYRE & HAMBURG	ARABIA	Ger. str.	2 m.	Sachs	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 5th October.
HAYRE & HAMBURG	KORFUSBERG	Ger. str.	2 m.	Christiansen	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 19th October.
HAYRE & HAMBURG	BANERU	Ger. str.	2 m.	Christiansen	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 2nd November.
HAYRE & HAMBURG	JUPITER	Brit. str.	2 m.	Christiansen	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	About 31st inst.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL	ATRA	Brit. str.	2 m.	Christiansen	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On or about 10th Sept.
NEW YORK	L. SCHEFF	Amr. ship	2 m.	Kondal	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	Quick despatch.
NEW YORK	I. F. CHAPMAN	Amr. ship	2 m.	Forst	CARLOWITZ & CO.	Quick despatch.
NEW YORK	ARAGONIA	Amr. ship	2 m.	O. P. Marshall, R.N.R.	HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE	On 7th September.
NEW YORK	MANUEL LAGUNA	Brit. str.	2 m.	H. Mowatt	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	On or about 25th Oct.
NEW YORK	EMPEROR OF INDIA	Brit. str.	2 m.	W. Watt	CANADIAN PACIFIC R. CO.	On 28th inst.
VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	ATHENIAN	Brit. str.	2 m.	J. W. Ekstrand	DOUGLASS & CO. LIMITED	On 4th September.
VANCOUVER, VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	BRANMAR	Jap. str.	2 m.	O. Ohno	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 16th Sept. at 4 p.m.
VICTORIA, B.C. & TACOMA VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	KAGA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 16th Sept. at 4 p.m.
VICTORIA (B.C.) & SEATTLE VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	IBUKU MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On or about 10th September.
PORTLAND & SEATTLE VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	INABU MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	To-morrow, at Daylight.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	PERU	Amr. str.	2 m.		PACIFIC MAIL S. S. CO.	On 31st inst.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI, &c.	STRATHGYLE	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On or about 15th Sept.
SAN DIEGO, &c. VIA MOJI, &c.	EASTERN	Brit. str.	2 m.	Ellis	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 6th Sept. at Daylight.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS	TAIWAN	Jap. str.	2 m.	N. Tate	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 10th September.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS	ROSETTA MARU	Brit. str.	2 m.	B. H. W. Snow	McGREGOR BROS. & GOW	On 27th Sept. at 4 p.m.
AUSTRALIAN PORTS	GHENTLE	Brit. str.	2 m.		P. & O. S. N. Co.	On or about 26th inst.
YOKOHAMA & KOBE	FORMOSA	Brit. str.	2 m.		NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 31st inst.
YOKOHAMA VIA SHANGHAI & KOBE	KANSAI	Jap. str.	2 m.	F. E. Schmitt	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 30th inst. at Daylight.
KOBE & MOJI	HAJATA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	W. Bainbridge	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 13th Sept. at Daylight.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	AYU MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	A. E. Moses	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 27th Sept. at Daylight.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	YAWATA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	Schmitt	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 20th Sept. at Noon.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	DAIHO MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	K. Kori	SIEMSEN & CO.	On 3rd Sept. at Noon.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	KAGOSHIMA MARU	Jap. str.	2 m.	Schmitt	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	On 10th Sept. at Noon.
NAGASAKI & VLADIVOSTOK	NANCHANG	Ger. str.	2 m.	Duchateau	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 31st inst.
MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	LOONGMOON	Fre. str.	2 m.	C. L. Daniel	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 30th inst.
TIENTSIN	INDUS	Brit. str.	2 m.		P. & O. S. N. Co.	On 31st inst.
SHANGHAI	CHANGHUA	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 4th September.
SHANGHAI	CHANGHUA	Brit. str.	2 m.		BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE	On 28th inst. at Daylight.
SHANGHAI	KUANGHUA	Jap. str.	2 m.	K. Shukui	MIYU BUNSEN KAISHA	To-morrow.
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MANILA	TAIWAN	Brit. str.	2 m.	M. Yagi	NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA	
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	C. L. Daniel	August	
LONDON, &c.	MASSILIA	Noon, 31st	See Special Advertisement.
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STEAMERS.		
HAKATA MARU	KOBE and YOKOHAMA	FRIDAY, 30th Aug. at DAYLIGHT.
F. L. Sommer		
KAGA MARU	VICTORIA, B.C. and SEATTLE	MONDAY, 2nd Sept. at 4 P.M.
J. W. Ekstrand	U.S.A. VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	
	MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO & PORT SAID	FRIDAY, 6th Sept. at DAYLIGHT.
BINGO MARU	MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	TUESDAY, 10th Sept. at NOON.
F. Davies		
KAGOSHIMA MARU	KOBE and YOKOHAMA	FRIDAY, 13th Sept. at DAYLIGHT.
K. Kori		
AWA MARU	BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE and COLOMBO	FRIDAY, 13th Sept. at NOON.
M. Trunt		
MIKE MARU	VICTORIA, B.C. and SEATTLE	MONDAY, 16th Sept. at 4 P.M.
A. Yagi	U.S.A. VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	
RIOJUN MARU	MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO & PORT SAID	FRIDAY, 20th Sept. at DAYLIGHT.
O. Ohno		
TAMBA MARU	NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA	FRIDAY, 20th Sept. at NOON.
J. W. Wale		
YAWATA MARU	SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE	FRIDAY, 27th Sept. at 4 P.M.
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